PAPERS OF THE CITY.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH

IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CARCULA-

TION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS-

SATURDAY JANUARY 22, 1876.

WEATHER REPORT.

Range of Thermometer at the Dispatch office

January 21, 1875.

Nothing positive yet from the Knight-Johnson committee. General Johnson's

friends are confident that he will be con-

THE UNIVERSITY BILL-WHAT IS CLAIMED

FOR IT .- The advocates of the University of

Virginia say that their bill, which has been

favorably reported on by the committee, is

one upon which the friends of all the col-

leges of the State will unite; that it is really

only carrying out the views so warmly ex-

pressed by the representatives of the colleges

at the Virginia Educational Association last

They claim that if the University can se-

cure the additional \$15,000 annuity, on con-

dition that it shall give free tuition to all

Virginia students, but shall receive none

under eighteen years of age, it will be en-

abled to remand to the colleges many youths

under eighteen who now enter the Univer-

sity; and that, being thus made in large

measure independent of tuition fees, the

University will not only maintain, but

will raise its high standard of scholar-

institution, and hold its own among the

proudest and wealthiest universites of the

own students not going out of the State,

would far more than meet the appropriation.

They are sanguine of the passage of the bill.

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILROAD-NEW

APPOINTMENTS .- General Williams C. Wick-

der to the "Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad

written order to Mr. Tyson to turn over the

Wickham having arranged that Mr. Tyson

should suffer no detriment thereby, Mr. Ty-

son turned over the property to General

Wickham on the company's order. Judge

Wellford approved General Wickham's acts.

the funds coming into his hands in such

bank as he may select, to be checked upon

The following organization was an-

sounced yesterday under authority of the

and superintendent of transportion; J. Gar-

rett, cashier; B. B. Weisiger, general book-keeper; B. S. Fitch, general freight agent (takes the place of Mr. C. E. Yeatman); Con-

way R. Howard, general ticket agent ; James

F. Netherland, auditor of revenue; W. H.

Lowry, auditor of disbursements; James H.

Patteson, paymester. J. Adair Pleasants,

It is probable that Mr. Yeatman will be

continued in the vervice of the company in

general auditor" is dropped.

firmed in his seat.

summer.

DAILY DISPATCH.

the top per month for a shorter period. WESKLY DISPATCH at \$2 per annum.

LIST OF LETTERS. ST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE RICHMOND POST-OFFICE JANUA section for letters in this list will please arrised. If not called for in four weeks to sent to the Dead Letter office, in Wash-

LADIES' LIST.
GUeon, Mrs.
Grey, F.
Grant J. S.
Hornson, S.
Hornson, S.
Johnson, M. E.
Johnson, M. E.
Johnson, E. C.
Johnson, A.
Jones, M.
Jones, M.
Lockett, E. C.
Lenax, C.
Lucas, F.
Michel, Mary
Molon, M.
Miller, F.
Michel, Mary
Molon, M.
Prees, S.
Pender, M.
Rountree, O. M.
Renarce, O. M. LADIES' LIST.

Preder, M. Reuniree, O. M.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Cray, S.
Harris, R. B.
Harris, W. H.
Farris, W.
Haynes, J. R.
Henderson, S.
Hid, J. C.
Hoogland, L. H.
Lowett, F. A.
Prichard, H.
Ray, A. G.
Randolph, B.
Rayles, S. C.
Rogers, F. G.
Rose, J.
Rogers, J. S.
Hogtins, J. M.
Scalton, H.
Shipman, C. T.
Stummers, J.
Stummers, J. Puckett, F. A. Prichard, H. Hongland, I., H., Rogers, J. S.
Hindgins, J. M., Scalton, H.
Jowelt, F.,
Jennings, R. T., Simmons, J.,
Jennings, R. S., Spraggins, W.
Jennings, R. S., Spraggins, W.
Jennings, R. S., Spraggins, W.
Jenning, R. S., Smith, G.
Smith, B.
Smith, D.
Smith, M.
Smith, D.
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Smith, D.
Smit Amb. J.
Lemon, F.
Ler, A. Y. (2)
Luley, W. H.
Laffertey, G. C.
Mahony, J.
Manderville, F.
Co.

F.J. Martin. J. L. March, H. Tanmart, D. B. &
Co.
Tyler, T.
Terrell, H. C.
Urell, C. Michell, A. B. Vis, J. & Son Moulton, W. Walker, C. B. Wall, J. Ward, J. C. White, G. Nerim, J. S. Whaling, H. M. White, D. Pegram, P. G. Wilson, P. B. Pendleton, Ur. E. Wilkinson, J. Woodworth, J. T. Picasant, J. R. Picasant, J. R. Winston. Powed, W. H. Wright, D. S. INITIALS. Properlytors of Spetswood House.

VESTELS. selection F. Merwin, schooner F. Daize, schooner (.1) Mooder, schooner bavid S. Siner, E. L. VAN LEW, Postmaster.

LIST OF ADVERTISED LETTERS RE-MAINING IN THE MANCHESTER POST-OFFICE HANGARY 22, 1876. Persons calling for letter it this list will please say Advertised. If not exact for his one month they will be sent to the Dead LADIES LIST.

LADIES LIST.

Alber, Norah H. Cox. J. M.
Andrews, M.
Cralg, Mrs. W.D.
Meltae, Julia
Armstead, Ann Ceser, Annie
Albersson, N.
Gaties, Nancy
Armstead, A. W. Heath, Mary A.
Ranche, A. G.
Heines, Lizz'e
Brilgs, M. F.
Johnson, Eliza
Garchill, A.
Johnston, Eliza GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Adkerson, G. S. Croeker, Henry Lovell, George Ernere T. G. Bres. Themas Frenkin, W. A. Laprade, E. S. Gribs, T. F. Moone, Albert Graham, John W. W. Harris, A. Bastelen, John Bastelen, John J. J. Woffenden, W. E. . B. Kane, J. J. ROBERT BEATTIE, P. M.

DISSOLUTIONS & PARTNERSHIPS. VOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

separtnership heretofore existing between starstaned under the firm-name and style of CATLETF & CO. is this day dissolved by a consent. All liabilities of the late co-partner will be settled by W. S. CATLETF, who continue business at the same stand, and all who said firm will be paid to him.
W. S. CATLETT,

JOHN T. HUGHES. iring from the firm of W. S. CATLETT & ceasion to return my thanks to the liberal patronage bestowed on the to solicit a continuance of the same

WOOD AND COAL.

COALBURG SPLINT COAL.

PRICE REDUCED! The best and most economical fuel for grates in is hest and those community market is the COALBURG, SPLINT.
has no slate, no clint er, and burns up cleaner hany offer coal in this market.
he has the of all coal here is due to the large

SPLINI COALS ten g brought in.
Salishar bod guaranteed to all who use COAL-EURG SPLINI COAL. S. H. HAWES, Sole Agent, Fighteenth and Cary streets, educaments to the trade. ja 22

THE PEERLESS SEMI-CANNEL to AL, for grates, at \$3.50 to \$4 per load of 2.000 and glory of Virginia and the South. Or pounds, and \$4.50 to \$5 per ton of 2.000 as; CLOVER HILL, \$3.90 per load of 1.500 as, CLOVER HILL, \$3.90 per load of 1.500 as, St. \$4.90 for 2.000 pounds; ANTHRAL A. \$5.50 to \$7 per ton of 2.000 pounds; WEST GIANA SPLINT, COKE, and LUMP ENGINE gladed prices; OAK and PINE WOOD at very placed prices; OAK and PINE W prices. All warranted in quantify and qual-represented. Call at Nineteenth and Cary (c. H. PAGF. school for the masses, the academy in which SEMI-CANNEL AND SPLINT COALS EMI-CANNEL AND STREAM
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CLOVER HILL \$4.90. COAL.

eventeenth street, at draw-bridge.

Office, Eleventh and Main streets, and First between Grace and Broad. CHEAPEST FUEL EVER IN RICHMOND. hold ten cents per hundred pounds less than spend coal, and lasts one third longer. ja 21

\$4.90. THE BEST CLOVER\$3.90. HILL LEMP COAL \$3.90. etyanoper on, or \$3.90 for 1.500 pounds, definited, Best SPLINE, LUMP, and BLACK HEATH at very low rates. ANTHRACTIF, and don't low rates. ANTHRACITÉ, all d and screened, cheap. Rest COOK-ant my narivable i machine-prepared (1998/ING, and CORD WOOD. All lowest rates at Minth and Cary and [1848] J. B. W-TKINS. TOMY FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC o.E.N.E.B.Al. I. v. -1 want it distinctly under-t that any prices autoritised by any company eater will be promptly met by me, no matter distingly low their prices may be. I am daily of direct from the mines the WEST VIR-SPLIST COAL, the best grate coal ever

MAL AND WOOD TO EXCHANGE \$11,000 at the following prices: Anthra-ide, \$7, and \$7.25 per 2,000 pounds; actor gray Splint, \$4 to \$4.50 per load, tou: Clover Hill, \$3.75, \$4, and \$4.50 \$6 50 p r ton; Soft Coke. \$5 25 and ind. Wood, \$4.50 \$5, and \$5.50 per rd, for or saved, at Ninetcenth and Carystreets. by him in the usual way.

A PRAY SPLINT COAL HAS WO SUPERIOR AS A GRATE COM. Kingging, sawed, and long WOOD;

SOFT COKE-engine and smiths'-of the best; ANTHEACITE, ait sizes, at lowest prices. P. R. CARRINGTON, corner Seventeenth and Cary streets.

LUEL FOR 1876.

FOREST PINE, for kindling and cooking; SUFT CORE, for kinding and cooking;
ANTHRACITE and CLOVER HILL COAL;
OAK and PINE WOOD-long, sawed, and kinding.
W. S. PILCHER,
Fighth and Main streets.

It is probable the wood of the Board of Al

YKEN'S VALLEY COAL .- Four bun desitions of this celebrated coal for sale. Also, keliance and Burnejde Egg and Stove: West Virginia Splint of all kinds; George's Creek Cumberfyld, for steam and smiths' use; Clover Hill and Malfathian Lump; Soft Lump and Hall Coke; Osk and Pine Wood. Wirt ROBERTS.

6c 24 Corner Seventeenin and Cary streets.

LETTER-HEADS, 84 to \$6.75 per ream, atthe DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE. day ran away and smashed the buggy.

Nichmond Dispatch. REASSESSMENT.

REPORT OF AUDITOR TAYLOR.

VALUATION OF LANDS IN 1873 AND 1875 COMPARED-VIRGINIA NOT YET BANK-RUPT-THE DECREASE IN THE COUNTIES ALMOST MADE UP BY INCREASE IN THE

The following is the Auditor's statement 'showing the total value of lands in the THE WEATHER YESTERDAY was clear and beautiful. Commonwealth of Virginia according to the returns of the reassessment made in the year 1875, pursuant to the Constitution, article x., section 6, and chapter 32 of the Code of 1873 as amended by the act of the General Assembly approved March 31, 1875, and also showing the comparative increase or decrease in the value of lands in Virginia since

 8 A. M.
 29 | 3 P. M.
 39

 9 A. M.
 31 | 6 P. M.
 39

 Noon
 35 | Midnight
 36

 Mean temperature:
 34 5-6.
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 the reassessment made in the year 1873": | Assessment | Assessment

Mean temperature: 34 5-6.	COUNTIES.	Assessment 1875.	Assessment 1873.
THE WEATHER TO-DAY The probabilities	Accomac	\$ 2,977.488	\$ 2.759.698 6.661,345
are that it will be partly cloudy, and colder.	Albemarle	6.218,015 966.802	*4 636,424
are that it to partial to any	Alexandria	962,258	943,839
	Amelia	1.230.434 2.063 344	1,417,460 2 236,604
LOCAL MATTERS.	Amherst	876,668	1.118 073
	Augusta	8,560,143	*10,071.840 747,829
Capitol Notes.	Bedford,	764.569 3,732.311	4,209,059
It was announced in some of the papers	Bland	465.924	608,163
yesterday that Governor Kemper had ap.	Brunswick	2,458,932 1,150.143	2,684.514 1,273.944
pointed Mr. John S. Wise a visitor to the	Buchanan	202.493	1,785.273
Virginia Military Institute in place of Colo-	Buckingham	1.714,573 2 200,204	*5.484.766
nel John C. Shields, removed from the city.	Caroline	1,879,274	2.450,583
The Governor denies the statement.	Carroll	585,184 656 526	499,141 688,950
The joint special committee appointed to	Charlotte	1.882.696	1.923,494
investigate the causes and damages of the late	Chesterfield	3,216,479 2,447.782	*4,152.680 2,468,358
fire at the Eastern Lunatic Asylum have re-	Clarke	556.876	710.584
turned to the city. They will submit a re-	Culpeper	2,402.297	2,705,641
port in a few days, and state what in their	Cumberland	1,229 617 1,162,034	1,381,507 1,304,154
opinion ought to be done in the way of re-	Dinwiddle Elizabeth City	781 554	965.548
building. The origin of the fire did not	EssexFairfax	827,494 4.269,698	1,310,913 4,609 690
clearly appear. Incendiarism is suspected by	Fauquier	7.698,486	8,552,907 1,037,767
some people.	Floyd	1,017.397	1,037,767
Mr. Meade C. Kemper, private secretary of	Fluvanna	1.287 939 1.994 451	1.981,164
the Governor, stated yesterday evening that if Judge Stevens, of Nelson, had offered his	Frederick	9 435 877	*5.764.653
resignation to the Gov-rnor he (Mr. Kemper)	Glles Gloucester	1,149,225 1,194.786	1.201.046
was not aware of it.	Goochland	1.430,040	2,066,294
The House Committee on Privileges and	Grayson	581.609	744.635 601.815
Elections yesterday morning reconsidered	Greensville	639.003	795,034
their determination to report in favor of a	Halifax	8.305.166	4.165.593 2.079.295
new election in Prince George county. They	Henrico	2.124,999 4.696,604	5,490,312
may yet report favorably to Major Mann	Henry	967,662	5,490,312 1,007.802
Page, the sitting member.	Highland Isle of Wight	1.013.784	984.615 1.219,471
On the 27th of this month the members	James City	390.928	511,796
of the Immigration Committee will go to	King and Queen King William	835.754	928.707
Washington to confer with our members of	King George	1,000,352 977.446	1.106.112 1.005.834
Congress relative to immigration.	Lancaster	633.043	679,400
The Board of Visitors of the Virginia	Lee Loudoun	1.186.285 9,639.123	1.157.741 10,831.224
Military Institute will have a conference	Louisa	2,229,957	2.424 980
with the Committee on Schools and Colleges	Lunenburg Madison	955,907	818.491 1.893,049
to-day.	Matthews	1,720.226 640,761	704,959
Mr. Hoenniger's proposition, made at the	Mecklenburg	2,081.341	2.291.652
instance of Richmond butchers, to amend	Montgomery	599.372 2 819.833	612.118 2,611.433
the law in relation to the sale of cattle at the	Nansemond	2 819.833 1 514.767 2.057.714	1,582,868 2,120,597
State scale-house, will be finally considered	Nelson New Kent	379,119	437.234
by the House Committee on Public Pro-	Norfolk	3,231,142	3.394.817
perty at a meeting to be held in the office of	Northampton Northumberland	952,668 808.392	905,426 800,163
the Register of the Land Office next Tues-	Nottoway	842.911	853.536
day morning at 10 o'clock.	Orange	2.216.892 1.581.167	2.459 853 1,573,412
The Governor offers a reward of \$100 for	Page	934,944	971.893
the arrest of Thomas Sutherland, who is	Pittsylvania	3.553.153	3,288.053
charged with the murder of R. T. Pulliam,	Prince Edward	1.170,896 2.056.388	1.364,317 1.962,136
of the county of Spotsylvania, and is now at	Prince George	1.247.846	1,247,846 2,571.001
Mr. Daniel H. London will to-night ad-	Princes Anne	2,387.287 1,167,943	1.332.710
dress the Finance Committees of the Legis-	Pulaski	1 710.447	1.332.710 1.517.958
lature in the hall of the House of Delegates	Rappshanuock	1,749.677 625.263	1,770,112 589,497
on the national exchequer scheme, whiskey-	Roanoke	2.723,577	2.840,060
tax, currency, &c.	Rockbridge	4,379.482	4.284,832 6,760.807
Mr. Hinton's \$5,000 Centennial bill was	Russell	6,870,825 889,640	874.252
killed in the Senate yesterday, and then	Ecott	792.705	1.063.588
brought to life again by reconsideration of	Chemondont	3.614.013 $1.620.823$	3,585,792 1,972,779 1,517.578
the vote.	Southampton	1,450,128	1,517.578
J. C. Denning, Norfolk city, notary pub-	Spotsylvania	1.284,035	*2.487 271 1,288.366
lic, and J. B. Nores, of Duane street, New	Stafford	1,033,629 735,455	730,135
York city, commissioner of deeds for Vir-	Sussex	855,624 1,079,731	968,699
ginia, were appointed yesterday by the Gov-	Wairen	1,079,731 1,333,674	1,148,695 1,553.561
ernor.	Warwick	305.367	448.105

Frederick: burg. 1,176,535 * Lynchburg. 3,832,362 * Norfolk. 8,641,052 \$ 8,424,7 Petersburg. 5,716,300 5,189,0 Portsmouth. 2,566,355 2,410,1 Richmond. 27,092,537 24,768,5 Farmville. 2,856,595 1,215,6°	VarwickVarbingtonVashingtonVestmorelandViseVytheVorkVorkVytheVorkVythe.	305.367 305.367 3,446.981 \$17.112 209.763 2.601.940 736.593	2,847,358 815,827 199,454 2,661,142 736,593
CITIES. 1875. 1873. Alexandria \$ 4,300.265 *	Total		
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Total \$ 60 575.550 \$ 42,203,75	Total	\$ 60 575.550	\$ 42,203,759

Grand total—1873, \$251,573,611.23; 1875. \$246,046,397.49.
Total decrease in the value of the lands according to the assessment of 1875 from the assessment of 1873 (\$251,573,611.23—\$246,046,397.49), \$5,-527,213.74.

will raise its high standard of scholarship, which has been so long the pride
and glory of Virginia and the South.
They say that if the State will only
afford them the means the University will
get out of the way of the colleges, and perform faithfully its part of Mr. Jefferson's
grand scheme of education—viz.: The public
school for the masses, the academy in which
to prepare boys for college, the noble cluster of colleges in the State to do their appropriate work, and a grand university which
shall meet all of the requirements of such an
institution, and hold its own among the

527.213.74.

*Note by the Auditor.—In the year 1873 the cities
of Alexandria, Fredericksburg, Lynchburg, Manchestation the could be made, nor can the
year 1873 for the lands which are now included in
the said cities be ascertained. But if we take the
value of lands assessed in 1875 in the cities of
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value of lands assessed in 1875, and deduct the total
value thereof from the total value of the lands as assessed in 1875, and deduct that from th Decrease column, 1876.......\$ 26 332 178.56 Increase column, 1876....... 7.343,311.82

They assert that they can demonstrate that it would be true economy in the State to make the appropriation asked for, and that the money spent in the Common wealth by students attracted from other States, to say nothing of money kept at home by our own students not going out of the State.

5 18 958 866,72

Value of lands in 1873, \$251.573.611.23 : value of lands in 1875, \$246.046.397.49; value of lands

ODD-FELLOWSHIP-CONTEST FOR A PRIZE. Several weeks ago Past Grand T. Wiley Davis, of Roane Lodge, No. 130, I. O. O. F., offered a prize in his Lodge to the member who should excel in conferring a portion of ham, receiver of the Chesapeake and Ohio the secret work of the Order without the aid railroad, yesterday made a report to Judge Wellford concerning the transfer of the proof the book. Several gentlemen were contestants for the honor, and Thursday eveperty of the company from Mr. Tyson to ning the trial came off in the presence of a himself. It appeared that Judge Bond re-fused to recognize General Wickham as re-judges were Past Grand Collins, of Friendceiver of the railroad company, under ap- ship Lodge; Past Grand Burr, of Union pointment of Judge Wellford, and that Lodge; and Past Grand J. H. Peay, of Judge Bond directed Mr. Tyson to surren- Roane Lodge.

At the conclusion of the exercises the Company." The company thereupon gave a judges returned and reported through P. H. Collins their unanimous conclusion that Mr. property to General Wickham; General D. C. Richardson was entitled to the prize. It is contemplated by the Lodge to have a public presentation of the prize to Mr. Richardson some night next week, on which occasion the Grand Master of the State, A. R. Courtney, Esq., and other prominent mem-General Wickham was authorized to deposit bers of the order are expected to address the meeting.

PERSONAL .- Hon, Nathaniel Wells, of Brooke county, W. Va., and for several years a member of the Virginia Legislature, is at receiver: William M. S. Dunn, engineer Ford's Hotel. Mr. W. Page McCarty, of this city, contri-

butes an article to the forthcoming No. of Scribner's Magazine. General Thomas Jordan, of Beauregard's staff, and of Cuban fame, who is sojourning at the St. James, also has an article in the

next No. of Scribner. Elder is painting a likeness of Stonewall

Resignation of An Alderman, has received the resignation of Colone! Albert Ordway, a member of the Board from Clay Ward. The ders on, receiver of the company, purchased resignation will be presented on Monday the whole cargo.

while in the custody of a colored boy yester- papers for this week received from J. T. from Massachusetts, from Virginia, or from certs at the Theatre for the benefit of the Disparch Printing-House. Good work, low Ellyson, 1112 Main street.

THE BOSTON VISITORS.

THEY VISIT THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND an entertainment to the southern visitors; VALENTINE'S STUDIO-AN OVATION AT that, in accordance with the wishes of the ST. ALBAN'S HALL LAST INIGHT-AD-DRESSES OF WELCOME BY GOVERNOR KEMPER, MAYOR KEILEY, AND GRAND MASTER TALIAFERRO-RESPONSE BY DR. WHITE-A HANDSOME SPEECH FROM HON. MR. PARKS-PRESENTATION OF A BANNER OF PEACE TO RICHMOND COM-MANDERY - DISTRIBUTION OF SOUVE-NIRS-THE BANQUET, ETC.

The Boston visitors, accompanied by Mayor Keiley, Superintendent Binford, Secretary Moses, Colonel W. C. Knight, Sir Knights O. M. Marshall, George A. Hundley, William B. Isaacs, L. L. Bass, Charles T. Binford, and William E. Tanner, visited the High School yesterday morning at 9 o'clock,

Hop. Mr. Park made a brief address, in which he expressed his astonishment at the splendid reading. He even admitted that it was better than the reading in the Boston schools, and he had a fair chance to judge, years.

OTHER POINTS VISITED.

The Massachusetts committee went to Central school next, and viewed the Jeff. Davis mansion with curiosity and interest. They forces," made a hurried visit to the several schoolrooms, and were particularly pleased with the examples in mental arithmetic in Miss A.

Pecor's class. From the Central school they visited Val-entine's studio, where they had the pleasure of Lee. They next went to Baker school, apprepriate addresses were made by Messrs. Parks and Baker, of the Boston party. They also went to the State Library, the Senate

AT ST. ALBAN'S HALL LAST NIGHT. courtliest, assembled to do honor to the re- he would have hissed. presentatives of the intellectual metropolis of the land.

At 8:20 the band struck up an inspiring march. At 9 o'clock Sir Knight Alfred S. Lee, Em-

inent Commander of Richmond Commandery, No. 2, called the assemblage to order and introduced the Governor, who took the chair, and, addressing the ladies and gentlemen of the city of Boston, said that mere words and ceremonies but inadequately expressed

THE HEARTY WELCOME

extended by the Old Dominion to the fair ladies of Boston. That since the time of John Smith the men of Virginia had ever been the truest champions of the truest "woman's rights"; that the descendants of the gentlemen of the Old Dominion were not a whit behind their gallant ancestors, and the Governor himself was "a young man and an unmarried one"; that their presence recalled the time when Virginia and Massachusetts stood side by

The speaker further said that if every man gallant ancestors, and the Governor himself side struggling for constitutional liberty; that Virginia had never slackened her endeavors, and was as loyal now in trying to establish equal rights and laws to all States, all classes, and all men.

The Governor said it was a most unfraternal and unmusonic spirit that prompted the commander to call him to the chair; but he gave them a most earnest welcome to Virginia.

Mr. Lee then introduced MAYOR KEILEY.

The Mayor's remarks were, as ever, pleasant, eloquent, and pithy. He said that he being really a young man, labored under a disadvantage in following one so accustomed to talking as his Excellency. He said that whilst it was an hibernianism to welcome people about to depart, he nevertheless did welcome them most cordially. That he believed Bunker Hill Monument to be really

the tip-end of the axle of the Hub. He said he wanted to complain about the hospitality that Boston extended to our visitors, as Virginia had sent about five hundred men to Boston and it took them five months to get home. Therefore, he sup-posed the guardians of the Massachusetts isitors had come with them, and we should send guardians with ours next time. He referred to General Washington baving gone to pay his first Presidential visit to New England, and thereby set the example of interchanging visits. He touched with good taste for a moment upon the political situation, and remembered that when a son of one of the eastern States had so bitterly assailed the South a son of Massachusetts had raised

his voice in her defence. His remarks were enjoyed equally by the visitors and the rest of the assembly.

AN ADDRESS FROM GENERAL TALIAFERRO. General William B. Taliaferro, the Grand Master of Virginia, was then introduced. He claimed to speak as the representative in this ancient Commonwealth of the most accient organization of the world. After a pleasant reference to the joint part Virginia and Massachusetts had ever taken in the struggle for Harvard, as was his father, and that he had to-night shaken hands with his father's classmate (Mr. Parks). He mentioned, gratefully, the compliment paid Virginia by Massachusetts in sending lately from her chief port the gallant vessel Stonewall Jackson. In referring to the time when all our be

roes shall be national, he cited the wars of the roses, the bitter strife between Ireland and England in the days when William III with such gallant men, fought those equally brave at Boynewater; the wars in France, where the heroes on both sides are now the pride of France.

THE BANNER OF PEACE UNFURLED.

At the conclusion of General Taliaferro's remarks the banner presented by the ladies of Boston to the Richmond Commandery was unfurled. It is about seven by nine feet, and was made of heavy white silk on the face and royal purple on the reverse side. Upon the tip of the staff sits the dove of peace. It also bears a representation of the Bucker-Hill Monument. At the base is embroidered the inscription: "From the Boston friends to the Virginia Encampment"; and at the top, "Souvenirs of the Bunker-Hill Centennial, June 17, 1875." The streamer across the top bears the legend Liberty of Conscience, Faith, Hope, and Charity," On either side are emblematic coats-of-arms with the legends: "Magna est veritas et praevalebit," on the arms at the right, and "Amicitia, virtus, fraternitas"

on the arms at the left. In describing the banner the speaker said : "These coats are respectively adorned by the visages of Washington and Warren-good Mesous and grand patriots."

spoke in the name of the committee. He

reception in Richmond assured them that the kindliest feeling existed in the South, and SMASH UP. The gay and itstive horse of Leslie's Ladies' Magazine for February that it needed only kind words to bring forth Mr. John Thompson Brown, real estate agent, and Harrers' and Leslie's illustrated newsthe reciprocal feeling, whether they came the Fourth-Street Club will give grand con-South Carolina; that the ladies of the com- Lee Monument fund.

mittee represented about one thousand ladies of Boston, who had at Ridge Hill farm given

southerners, they had prepared souvenirs to distribute among the southern visitors; that in their recent celebration Massachusetts had been particularly interested in the Virginia Richmond Second Commandery.

THE EMINENT COMMANDER'S REPLY.

He instructed the standard-bearer to place it by the western window, that the brilliant beams of the setting sun might fall upon it. Mr. Lee then introduced Mr. John C. Parks, of Boston, who spoke, he said, in behalf of the ladies, as Dr. White had spoken in behalf of the gentlemen. He said that the ladies originated the idea, and had carried it on to its most successful termination; that the first spot where the committee had sat and enjoyed the opening exercises, reading the Psalms in concert, the fine singing, and the reading of Misses Ida Hulzler and Flora Wilkinson.

In the Committee had sat state of the committee had sat state of the opening exercises, reading foot in Virginia was at Mount Vernon; that they were "full of liberty now if never before; they had read of it, but had never felt it before"; that the last meeting of the Council, held January 7th, a resolution was adopted sutherizing the removal of the Mayor's office it before"; that

MASSACHUSETTS SALUTED VIRGINIA-

other-there were only two States that bore schools, and he had a fair chance to judge, the name. He preferred (being a lawyer) to Reporter of the had been one of the trustees for seven speak from the floor (the other speakers ad-

He referred to the Constitution as the and the links must remain separate links still, refer to

THE PEELING IN BOTH SECTIONS;

that after the war there was no bitterness. chamber, and hall of the House of Delegates. as some here had said, at the North, but only sorrow; that be had a son in the war wounded on Virginia soil, and he had in the last This handsome hall witnessed last night as two days met the General who commanded brilliant an audience as Richmond can fur- on the southern side at the time, and had nish. Not even the royal attractions of Lear | walked up and introduced himself to shake could draw away the representatives of Richmond from the duties of hospitality, and St. the late debate in Congress on the amnesty bill, and out for tear of the sergeant-at-arms has been selected by her fairest and beard by her fairest and by hands with him. He said that he had heard

In reference to the object of the commission he represented, he said that Peter, the minutes. Hermit, had taken the cross, the emblem of God's love to man, and carried it around; that the ladies of Massachusetts had chosen that the ladies of Massachusetts had chosen the banner of peace as the emblem of "man's love to man." It bore a representation of Massachusetts had chosen amended so as to take effect on the 28th of the winter season. The person may be thickly clad, but if the circulation of the blood is poor they of the council, was ordered to notify the will shiver with the cold. the monument that marked the spot where brave patriots had laid down their lives for their friends, "and greater love had no man." He was commissioned by the ladies to present to each member of the Commandery a little badge as a souvenir. Each badge represented wheel with thirteen emblematic spokes. At the top of the badge was engraved "Liberty of Conscience; Faith, Hope, and Charity." Around the band, or what would be the tire of the wheel, were twenty five stars, or points, forming the complement of thirty-eight States forming the American Union. Below was the date, June 17, 1875.

The speaker further said that if every man in New England could only read the words the Virginia speakers had used to-night, no earthly power could divide the two sections

THE PRESENTS DISTRIBUTED-THE BANQUET. Mr. Lee then appointed a committee to form the members in ine and distribute the

again.

presents, which were in great demand. After the distribution of the souvenirs the assembly adjourned to the dining-hall below, by Pizzini.

up until a late hour. early train to-day for the North.

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS .- McCready es. Commonwealth. Further argued by Judge Ould for the plaintiff in error and the Attorney-General for the Common wealth, the report.

and continued until to-day. The cases of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company vs. the Commonwealth will ing thereto, under the rules it was laid over be taken up next after the one now under until the next meeting. argument.

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY .- M. C. Perdue was fined two dollars and costs for using abusive and insulting language to Elizabeth Madison.

John Williams and E. Shaw, a:rested for drunkenness, were reprimanded and discharged. Charles Justice, Joseph Jessop, and Ed-

of vagrancy, we e ordered to leave the city. Moses Mason and William Scott (colored), were arraigned upon the charge of stealing one piece of bacon valued at \$1.60 from R. S. Massie. William Scott was sentenced to six | rent. Referred. months in jail; he took an appeal. Mason A number of bills were presented and aphaving been once convicted of petty larceny, was sent on to the Hustings Court to answer the charge of felony.

A HORRID CRIME, - Simon Ellis, registered as a colored driver, aged forty-one years, was liberty, he stated that he was an alumnus of arrested last night by Captain Tyler upon the

corner of Twenty-fifth and Venable streets,

Lear he was at his best, and though the play is far from being pleasant, it was delightful to witness his high art. There will be a crowded matice; this afternoon, notwithstanding the management, in yielding to what they supposed was good advice, sub-stituted "The Merchant of Venice" for The Lady of Lyons," which latter if not definitely announced was expected. Tonight will be Mr. Booth's benefit. He has made many warm friends during his visir. They have determined that his farewell performance shall be a grand ovation for him. He was welcomed here in royal style, and by an audience of almost man of the Boston committee. He addressed making his first appearance in light comedy, Jackson for W. W. Corcoran, of Washing- the ladies and gentlemen of Richmond, and as well as in a Shak spearian historical character-Petruchio and Cardinal Wolsey. To-A CARGO OF IRON FOR THE TREDEGAR citizens, it was in a sense as representatives supporting him, will leave Richmond for dist.

Works.—Day before yesterday the schooner of all Boston. He gave a little sketch of the Charlotte, N. C., where they will make a For sale by all we olesale and retail druggists very brief stop and proceed to the principal PURCELL, LADD & CO , agents,

AMUSEMENTS.—Blind Tom will give a matisee this afternoon and his final performance here to-night. Next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings

MANCHESTER NEWS.

City Council.-The regular semi-monthly session of this body was held list night at the Council chamber at 8 o'clock. Present: Mr. McRae (president) and Messrs. Craig, Eubank, Nunnally, Morrisette, Monteiro, Perdue, Baird, Jones, and Whitehead.

After the reading of the minutes Mayor Chiles arose, by permission of the Council, Mr. Lee replied to Dr. White, thanking and stated that from the reading of the minhim and his committee in the name of the utes be desired to make an explanation, as a resolution appeared thereon in reference to the removal of the Mayor's Court. His Honor then stated that he had no offi-

clal notification of the action of the Council in regard to the removal of his court, but that he had been informed by the chief of police. Not deeming such notice legal or proper his office had not been removed. On motion of Mr. Craig, the rules were suspended in order that the report of the Committee on Public Buildings and Lands

and its appurtenances to the building formerly occupid by the Council, in rear of the marone of the two Common wealths saluted the ket-house, and designating it as the office of said official on and after the 12th of January.

Mr. Eubank. from the Committee on Pubdressed the audience from the stand, and lic Buildings, &c., presented a report, which, his words were easy and appropriate. He after setting forth in a lengthy preamble the said that it was a Massachusetts man who action of the Council in reference to the subsaid first, "I nominate George Washington, ject of the removal of the Mayor's Court, of Virginia, to be the commander of the concludes as follows: "In obedience to the provisions of this resolution we have the honor to report that we proceeded to have most perfect ever framed- "a good Consti-tution then, a good Constitution still." He office of the Mayor removed to the office deheld that the States were separate links of a signated in said resolution, whereupon we chain that made the coronet of the Union, were informed by the Chief of Police that of seeing the model of the recumbent figure or the coronet would fall, shattered, from the prevent the removal of said fixtures and he had received orders from the Mayor to palsied brow. After a brief notice of the furniture, and if necessary to call out an adand heard some good singing from the extension of our country, he passed on to ditional force of forty men to resist any effort to remove said fixtures, furniture, &c. In behalf of public peace, and to avoid all

unnecessary conflict of authority between the different branches of our city govern-ment, we have decided to await further action of the Council." After the reading of the committee's report, bis Honor Mayor Chiles again arose and rei erated what be had previously said. A friendly chat then ensued, which conport was ordered to be spread upon the

The resolution heretofore adopted in reference to the removal of the Mayor's office was amended so as to take effect on the 28th of Mayor of the action of the Council. Mr. Perdue, from the Committee on Fi-

sent a detailed statement of the city's finannancial condition about the last of the month, which would be the end of the fiscal year. Mr. Craig, from the special committee to whom was referred the matter of fitting up

thereby, amounting to \$172.77. Mr. Craig, from the special committee to whom was referred the communication from dence: the School Board in reference to the appro-priation of \$15,000 for the erection of two school-houses, presented the following:

school-houses, presented the following:

"After conference with the committee from the School Board, we recommend an appropriation of \$15,000 in eight per cent. bonds, payable thirty-four years after date. The committee on the part of the School Board have ascertained that two school-houses can be built that will accommodate six hundred pupils (four bundred white and two hundred colored) for the amount recommended. This will erect schools of brick, with basements, and afford accommolives in several parts. Here were being any that we had almost despaired of her ever being any better. Hearing of the Vegetine were solved to try once more, and she commenced using it last March, and has been improving in health ever since. From the part of the Vegetine has advanced to 135 pounds—having gained thirty-one pounds in seven months—and lives that Vegetine has oeen the means of saving lives that Vegetine has oeen the means of saving brick, with basements, and efford accommodation for the scholars during wet weather. "We recommend that the committee on

where an elegant supper had been prepared the part of the Council and the committee on the part of the School Board invite plans The barquet over, the tables were cleared | and estimates for the work as soon as they away, and dancing was commenced and kept | difinitely settle upon the localtion , and that the joint committee be empowered to select The Massachusetts committee leave on the the localitions, observing as near as possible in the sites selected that the city will not be subjected to any great expense in grading the streets leading thereto." In connection with the above an ordinance

was presented to carry out the provisions of

An effort was made to act upon the report at this meeting, but several members object-

On motion of Mr. Craig, it was resolved that the City Treasurer pay over all money 8 collected by him up to and including January 31, 1876, in order that the Auditor may

make out his annual report for the year ending that date. On motion of Mr. Perdue it was Resolved, That a table be purchased for the use of the Council. [A move to benefit

the reporters. ward White, three tramps, up on the charge Mr. J. W. Jones presented his resignation as a member of the Council from the First Ward. Tabled, on motion of Mr. Craig.

A communication was received from Walker & Saunders in reference to waterpropriately referred. Adjourned at 9:45 P. M.

Hustings Court-Judge Clopton presiding. This court was engaged yesterday in the trial of cases on the civil docket; after which it adjourned for the term.

Roll of Honor at the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mat-thews, John G. Rice, and R. H. Winfree.

but the firemen could neither find any fire nor the person who gave the alarm.

EDWIN-BOOTH.—Booth's audiences during the week have been as large as were ever commanded in Richmond by any actor, and his performances have given the bighest degree of satisfaction. It is, therefore, with regret that the public sees the end of his energe that the public sees the end of his energy that the colored high school for the same and the relief of the following pupils are on the roll of honor; R. Thomsor, J. Shaw, A. Johnson, Ed. R. Stevens:

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and get some of it.

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A HUSBAND'S STATEMENT OF THE GREAT SUFFERING OF HIS WIFE.

HARWICH, September 24, 1875.

is now able to be about her work. In short, she believes that VEGETINE has oeen the means of saving
her life, and that she cannot say too much in its
praise. If it pleases you to make use of this statement you are at liberty to do so. She has taken
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Yours, respectfully,

JOSEPH L. PUILER.

THE WIFE'S STATEMENT. . HARWICH, September 24, 1875.

Mr. Stevens:

Dear Sir, -I feel I must say a few words about the VEGATINE. The physicians said I had so mony complaints they did not know what to give me. They said I had a bad humor, and I had the kidney complaint, the liver complaint; my heart was very weak, and I don't think there is any one who suffered more with the piles than I did. The physical said is a said to take medicine. fered more with the piles than I did. The physicians all said it was no use for me to take medicine. I could not live through the month of May. I truly think the VEGETINE has saved my life and my neighbors say that the VEGETINE has really accompished a wonderful cure in my case; and I tell every one whom I meet it is the best medicine in the world. Yours, very thankfully, Mrs. J. L. BUTLER.

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H. R. Stevens, Esq.:

Dear Sir,—Allow me to say a word in favor of Vegetine. During the past year I have suffered from a complication of diseases. I laid in be drom the 3d of November until the middle of the following June, and on an average did not sit up two hours a week. I had eight of the best physician in the State, but got no help, and constantly grew werse. They agreed that I had heart-disease, i phthists, pyaemia, and kidney complaint, and could never be any better. I was reduced in weight fifty pounds, which is much, for I sim naturally this.

In June, finding I was failing under the treatment of the physicians, I commenced the use of Vegetine, and, I am happy to styte, with good results. I have gained ten pounds in weight, can sit up all day, walk half a mile, and ride six.

I am greatly encourged, and shall continue using the Vegetiner if I can get it. I am a poor much, but for the truth of this statement I refer to any man in Geffstown or vicinity. A great I, 1875.

Goffstown, N. H. H. R. Stevens, Esq.:

August 1, 1875. A. J. Burback. Goffstown, N. H.

RELIABLE EVIDENCE.

Accident.—Mr. William Porter, an employe of the Marshall mills, was severely indicated that he was walking along with a large roller upon his back, weighing about one hundred pounds, and slipped and fell to the floor, the roller falling upon and injuring his back and hip. He was conveyed to his presidence, in Buconsville, Dr. Ingram rendering the strength of fire was turned in at Station 21, corner of Twenty-fifth and Venable streets, for the male high school for the was turned in at Station 21, corner of Twenty-fifth and Venable streets, the male high school for the male high school for the male high school for the was turned in at Station 21, corner of Twenty-fifth and Venable streets, the male high school for the was turned in at Station 21, the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner of the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner in the defendence of the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner in the male high school for the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner in the defendence of the manner in the male high school for the male high school for the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner in the character of the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner in the character in the male high school for the week ending yesterday: W. H. Mathematical manner in the character in the male high school for the manner in the character in the male high school for the manner in the manner in the male high school for the manner in the manner in

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E. G. LEAGH.

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